Howard, Bob

From:

Brosius, Ashley

Sent:

Friday, November 01, 2013 10:08 AM

To:

bill.crowell@ncdenr.gov

Cc:

Howard, Bob

Subject: Attachments: Resending: CRE Lessons Learned draft feedback Lessons Learned Draft-clean-2013-09-16.docx

Hi Bill.

I just wanted to resend this in case it had been missed. We are so close to being done with this!

Thanks in advance for taking a look,

Ashley

Ashley Brosius
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Climate Ready Estuaries Program
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(202) 566-2708

From: Brosius, Ashley

Sent: Tuesday, October 22, 2013 1:33 PM

To: bill.crowell@ncdenr.gov

Cc: Howard, Bob

Subject: CRE Lessons Learned draft feedback

Hi Bill,

We recently completed a draft of the Lessons Learned document for the SE and CRE projects. Originally I had been working with Jim on this task, but I know he has since moved on to a different position. I was wondering if you might have had a chance to look over the text relating to APNEP and if you had any feedback or could give us the go ahead to use the language that is currently there. I've pasted it below, so you can take a look at it pretty easily. I'm also attaching the full document here in case you'd like to see how it's all coming along.

We have tried to include ~2 lessons per NEP. This is the current APNEP language on "lessons learned": The Albemarle-Pamlico National Estuary Program reached out to increase public and local government awareness of climate change in five counties of the Albemarle-Pamlico region. Public opinion surveys and targeted interviews were used to design county-specific climate change communication strategies for meetings with community leaders to promote constructive and practical discussion of climate change in the Albemarle-Pamlico region.

The Albemarle–Pamlico National Estuary Program worked with the EPA Climate Ready Water Utilities program to use the Climate Resilience Evaluation & Awareness Tool. The CREAT software leads drinking water and wastewater utility owners and operators understand their climate change risks and helps them to identify potential adaptation options for their situation.

I had spoken to Marilyn a few months ago relating to Jim leaving b/c I saw on APNEP's website that his position was listed as vacant. She mentioned that you guys were awaiting approval to have the position listed on DENR's website. I have been watching it pretty closely and was just wondering if maybe I had missed it or if you guys are still awaiting approval for the new hire. I am from SC and am interested in coming back to the South, especially to the Raleigh area. The potential for a new job posting is very appealing!

Thanks for any comments you have on the work we have so far. We're hoping to have this finished up sometime in early 2014.

Regards,

Ashley

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From:

Evans, Rhonda

Sent:

Tuesday, March 11, 2014 2:06 PM

To:

Fasselt, Veronica

Subject:

FW: Old Report--new violations on Wetlands

From: Laurson, Nancy

Sent: Tuesday, November 12, 2013 3:36 PM

To: John R Jacobson **Cc:** Evans, Rhonda

Subject: RE: Old Report--new violations on Wetlands

Jake-

We did release the reports finally! I'm so sorry I thought you were on our lengthy notification list – apologies. Since we didn't have the funds to print the reports, we posted them on our website – here's the link if you'd like to take a look at them http://water.epa.gov/type/wetlands/cwt.cfm#activities.

I'm ccing my wetlands contact in EPA Region 4 in Atlanta, Rhonda Evans, in hopes she can help on the Pamlico County wetlands issue you raised. Rhonda is also the Regional Coordinator for the Albemarle Pamlico National Estuary Program (APNEP). If she can't assist you, she can put you into contact with the right person who can.

I appreciate you brining this to our attention. It's good to know that the ANEP Policy Board Chair, Todd Miller, is also looking into this according to the article. Perhaps he and Rhonda could confer.

Nancy

From: John R Jacobson [mailto:jjacobson@washjeff.edu]

Sent: Monday, November 11, 2013 9:01 AM

To: Laurson, Nancy

Subject: Old Report--new violations on Wetlands

Nancy,

It has been about three years since you visited New Bern regarding the loss of 500 acres of wetlands, and, a report on the issues related to such--ever issued?

But, we have a new problem in Pamlico County. Spring Creek farms LLC has purchased 4,658 acres of wetlands and uplands that were illegally ditched wetlands to create "uplands". Bulldozers are now deforesting the "uplands area, and we are not sure what they are doing to the wetlands--public access not granted.

We need your help! Check the "Guest Columnist" at http://towndock.net/guest-columnist/lower-neuse-river-watershed-being-destroyed

Jake Jacobson

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Tuesday, March 11, 2014 2:06 PM

To:

Fasselt, Veronica

Subject:

FW: Group C 2014 PE Teams

Attachments:

Group C Program Evaluation Teams 2014.doc

From: Mercado, Noemi

Sent: Thursday, November 14, 2013 12:05 PM

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Cc: Brochi, Jean; Whittle, Caitlyn; Cote, Mel; Kendall, Drew; Evans, Rhonda; Burks, Felicia; Greaves, David; Horn, Bevin; Howard, Bob; Huertas, Evelyn; Jacobson, Doug; Jewhurst, Sheri; Liebman, Matt; Lyons, Regina; Mackey, Megan; Marr, Suzanne; Martin, Molly; McCormick, Karen; McDowell, Susan; Nyman, Robert; O'Neill, Leah; Pryor, Margherita; Purdy, Irene; Balla, Richard; Rodney, Ann; Rollwagen, Janice; Rylko, Michael; Spinweber, Barbara; Valiela, Luisa; Vallette, Yvonne; Craghan, Michael; Kadri, Jamal; Katz, Marilyn; McKee, Jarred; McShane, John; Mercado, Noemi; Laurson, Nancy; Jones, Tim

Subject: Group C 2014 PE Teams

Hi everyone:

Attached is the PE Teams for Group C in 2014. Thanks so much for all the NEP Directors who graciously volunteered. Still two Programs are missing an ex-officio NEP Director: 1) Partnership for Delaware and 2) Maryland Coastal Bays. If you would like to serve on the Team please let me know by Tuesday, Nov. 19.

Thanks,

Noemi Mercado Coastal Management Branch Oceans and Coastal Protection Division

Phone: 202-566-1251 Fax: 202-566-1336

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FW: Symposium next week

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Let me know if you have any additional questions.

Best,

Lindsey

2013 Albemarle-Pamlico Ecosystem Symposium Details

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Wednesday, November 20, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

WHERE

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Great! Looking forward to seeing you at the Symposium.

Best, Lindsey

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2013 Albemarle-Pamlico Ecosystem Symposium Program.pdf; Agenda at-a-glance-2013.xlsx

From: Smart, Lindsey S [mailto:lindsey.smart@ncdenr.gov]

Sent: Monday, November 18, 2013 9:10 AM

To: Evans, Rhonda

Subject: RE: Symposium next week

Hi Rhonda,

See attached agenda. I'm hoping that the registration confirmation with additional details will be sent out by Janine today.

Thanks, Lindsey

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Sent: Monday, November 18, 2013 8:39 AM

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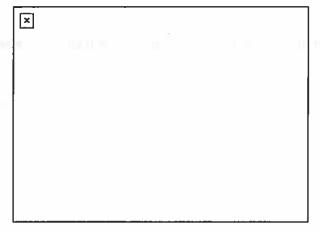
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From: Nicholson, Janine [mailto:janine.nicholson@ncdenr.gov]

Sent: Monday, November 18, 2013 11:51 AM

To: Evans, Rhonda

Subject:



Dear Rhonda Evans,

Thank you for registering for the **2013 Albemarle-Pamlico Ecosystem Symposium**: *Embarking on a New Voyage*. The Symposium is hosted by the <u>Albemarle-Pamlico National Estuary Program</u>, <u>North Carolina Sea Grant</u>, <u>Virginia Institute of Marine Sciences</u>, <u>UNC Coastal Studies Institute</u>, <u>US Geological Survey</u> and <u>Institute for Coastal Science and Policy</u>. We're looking forward to seeing you there!

Date: Wednesday, November 20, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

General Agenda

9:00 a.m. Registration & Coffee 10:00 a.m. Opening Plenary

10:45 a.m. Break – Exhibits & Posters

11:00 a.m. Concurrent Sessions

12:00 p.m. Lunch, Keynote Speaker, Poster Session and Exhibits

1:30 p.m. Concurrent Sessions
3:00 p.m. Break – Exhibits & Posters
3:30 p.m. Concurrent Sessions

5:00 p.m. Adjourn

A link to the final program agenda will be posted on the Symposium website in late October.

Location:

New Bern Riverfront Convention Center, 203 South Front Street, New Bern, NC 28563

Getting There

<u>Click here for a map and custom directions</u> to the Convention Center using Google Maps. If you indicated a desire to carpool with other Symposium participants, a contact list will be emailed to you towards the end of October. In addition, we will attempt to provide vanpools for participants leaving from the Triangle area.

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Cancellation

If you need to cancel for any reason, please contact Janine Nicholson immediately at janine.nicholson@ncdenr.gov or 919-707-8610 so that we may adjust counts accordingly.

Other Information

Be sure to check the <u>APNEP website</u> for further updates. In the meantime, do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns at <u>janine.nicholson@ncdenr.gov</u> or 919-707-8610.

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Tuesday, March 11, 2014 2:04 PM

To:

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FW: Tidal Creeks Summit

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Sent: Friday, November 22, 2013 2:22 PM

To: Evans, Rhonda

Subject: Re: Tidal Creeks Summit

I may attend- but we have two important meetings scheduled for that week.

Bill

From: <Evans>, Rhonda <<u>Evans.Rhonda@epa.gov</u>>

Date: Friday, November 22, 2013 2:02 PM
To: William Crowell bill.crowell@ncdenr.gov>

Subject: RE: Tidal Creeks Summit

Thanks for info. Tidal creeks are a particular interest of mine...may try to attend. Are you or any of your staff going?

From: Crowell, Bill [mailto:bill.crowell@ncdenr.gov]
Sent: Thursday, November 21, 2013 10:41 AM

To: Evans, Rhonda

Subject: Tidal Creeks Summit

FYI

http://www.bae.ncsu.edu/workshops/tidalcreeksummit/2013 detailed agenda.html

William L. Crowell, Jr., Ph.D., AICP, CEE Director Albemarle-Pamlico National Estuary Partnership 1601 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1601 (919) 707-8633 Bill.Crowell@apnep.org

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Fasselt, Veronica FW: need for slides

Attachments:

Region 4 Summary- ANEP CWA-Implementation- revised- Oct 13 2011.pptx

From: Derby, Jennifer

Sent: Tuesday, December 17, 2013 10:27 AM

To: Evans, Rhonda

Subject: FW: need for slides

Jennifer S. Derby Section Chief Coastal and Ocean Protection Section EPA-Region 4 61 Forsyth Street, SW Atlanta, GA 30303 Office Phone: 404-562-9401 EPA Cell: 404-398-7403

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To; Rhonda Evans/R4/USEPA/US@EPA
Cc; Jennifer Derby/R4/USEPA/US@EPA
Deby.12/12/2013.04:24 PM

Date: 12/17/2012 04:24 PM Subject: RE: need for slides

Hi, Rhonda- attached is a slide show that is specifically focused on Region 4 NEPS, based on a presentation I provided to Nancy Stoner last year, as ANEP Chair, highlighting the NEPs nationally. This was provided to Felicia last year, at her request. Not sure if it has been used or not, but you are welcome to use some of the slides if they would be helpful.

Also, - you can find maps, descriptions, etc on EPA's NEPmap page. I googled National Estuary Program to get there.

Hope this is helpful!

Holly

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To: hareening@tbep.org

Cc: Derby.Jennifer@epamail.epa.gov

Subject: need for slides

Hi Holly,

Do you happen to have a few general slides on the NEP program? In particular, we are looking for a slide that shows a map of the NEPs in Region 4 and some basic info on the region's NEPs. I just don't have anything like this and both Bob and Felicia are enjoying their holiday! Please don't recreate anything but I thought, given the number of talks that you do, you might have something like that!

Have a wonderful holiday!

Thanks, Rhonda

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Fasselt, Veronica

From:

Fasselt, Veronica

Sent:

Monday, December 09, 2013 11:00 AM

To:

Adriene Weaver (adriene.weaver@ncdenr.gov)

Cc:

Baker, Frank; Fasselt, Veronica

Subject:

Link for Watershed Improvement Summaries

Adriene:

Thanks for your inquiry (on my recent trip to Raleigh) for the Governors' South Atlantic Alliance regarding coastal water quality improvements related to best management practices. Below are some references that may be helpful:

- We have posted "Watershed Improvement Summaries" for the Florida National Estuary Programs at www.epa.gov/region4/water/watersheds/watershed summaries.html.
- The Southeast Florida Coral Reef Initiative (SEFCRI) has developed & begun implementing plans to address "Land-Based Sources of Pollution" that degrade water quality and impact coral reefs.
- The Albermarle-Pamlico National Estuary Program and the North Carolina Coastal Federation have been undertaking restoration of agricultural lands to improve water quality for shellfish waters.

The last 2 bulleted projects have not yet posted success stories, but might be willing to provide interim results. I hope this information is helpful. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need any more information.

Sincerely,

Veronica Gasselt

North Carolina Watershed Coordinator

USEPA Region 4

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From: Sent: Reid, Dianne [dianne.reid@ncdenr.gov] Thursday, December 05, 2013 1:27 PM

To:

Moorman, Michelle; Hill, Kelly

Cc:

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(torrensi@dhec.sc.gov); W. Strom Eric (ewstrom@usqs.gov); wilsonde@dhec.sc.gov; Zimmer, Andrea

Subject:

RE: CCOW 2014 Work Plan due tomorrow!

I think the Work Plan looks good also. Regarding Michelle's thoughts – 1) Chris Russo is our military liason and may be able to provide comments/input on the proposal. 3) I'm drawing a blank on what the Albemarle NMN is.

NC is rewriting our Nutrient Criteria Development Plan to include the Albemarle Sound as a priority area for nutrient criteria development and EPA R4 is looking for some money to assist. I can see us supporting CCOW 1B over the next year or so with activities related to nutrients.

Dianne M. Reid

Chief, NC Environmental Sciences Section

Division of Water Resources

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To: Hill, Kelly

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Subject: Re: CCOW 2014 Work Plan due tomorrow!

Hi Kelly et al.,

It looks good. I have a couple updates/thoughts that might be relevant to the work plan.

- 1) We, i.e. USGS, USACE, USFWS, and the UNC-Coastal Studies institute are considering putting together a proposal for the Albemarle-Pamlico Penninsula and surrounding estuarine waters to address CCOW 2A and CCOW 1B. First draft is due Jan. 9, full proposals are due in March. Any assistance via input and recommendation letters or support from the GSAA would be appreciated. Specifically, the proposal needs to support military installations the bombing ranges on the Pamlico Penninsula and in the Albemarle-Pamlico region come to mind as well as the coast guard. I don't know if we have any military contacts in the GSAA that could provide input on the proposal.
- 2) We, i.e. USGS and UNC-Coastal Studies Institute, have submitted an EPA Exchange Network grant to address CCOW 3A. If it is funded, we would have funding to support CCOW 3A1 in North Carolina.
- 3) I also submitted a proposal to get Duke MEM students for next year to work on the Albemarle NMN. The 3 students I have this year have worked out really well. I'm sure I could figure out some way that there work ties into our workplan. I really liked the idea we had of providing some support for students to showcase work at a GSAA or other meeting. I think a huge benefit we could provide to the students is an opportunity to network and showcase their skills because they are looking for jobs. I just think we should keep this idea in mind don't know if there is anyway to add it back into the workplan.

Hope everyone has a good holiday, Michelle

On Thu, Dec 5, 2013 at 9:59 AM, Hill, Kelly < kelly.hill@dnr.state.ga.us > wrote:

Hello Team,

I still have not received any comments on the draft 2014 work plan. There were some suggestions made on our last call but I have yet to receive any changes. It is due to Kristine by tomorrow so If I do not receive any edits I will send along as is (attached).

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